

5. The method of claim 1, wherein the silicon content is in a range of about 1.2 wt % to about 3.5 wt % based on 100 wt % of the total weight of the silicic acid aqueous solution.

6. The method of claim 1, wherein the pH of the silicic acid aqueous solution at the start of the polymerizing and a pH of the silicic acid solution during the polymerizing are each in a range of about 3.5 to about 5.0.

7. The method of claim 1, wherein a molar ratio of iron atoms to silicon atoms in the produced coagulant is in a range of about 1.1:1 to about 1:1.

8. A coagulant for use in toner preparation using an emulsion aggregation method, the coagulant having been produced by the method of claim 1.

9. A coagulant for use in toner preparation using an emulsion aggregation method, the coagulant having been produced by the method of claim 2.

10. A coagulant for use in toner preparation using an emulsion aggregation method, the coagulant having been produced by the method of claim 3.

11. A coagulant for use in toner preparation using an emulsion aggregation method, the coagulant having been produced by the method of claim 4.

12. A coagulant for use in toner preparation using an emulsion aggregation method, the coagulant having been produced by the method of claim 5.

13. A coagulant for use in toner preparation using an emulsion aggregation method, the coagulant having been produced by the method of claim 6.

14. A coagulant for use in toner preparation using an emulsion aggregation method, the coagulant having been produced by the method of claim 7.

15. A method of producing a toner, comprising:

producing a coagulant by the method of claim 1; and

producing the toner by emulsion aggregation performed using the coagulant.

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